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Asst. Commissioner of Patents Dated: Jan. 31, 2001
 Washington, D.C. 20231

In re: Inventors: Hamada, et al
 For: FIXING DEVICE FOR IMAGE-
 FORMING APPARATUS

Attorney's Docket No. : KON-1634

SIR:

We enclose herewith:

Specification and claims (X)
 Declaration, Power of Attorney (X)
 Drawings 8 sheets formal (X)
 Assignment (X)
 Check in the amount of \$ (X)
 Authorization to debit Account (X)
 No. 02-2275 in duplicate (X)
 One return receipt post-card (X)
 Priority document and claim thereof (X)
 Preliminary Amendment (X)
 Small Entity Declaration (X)
 PTO-2038 in the amount of \$750.00 (X)

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 call Jordan B. Bierman at (212) 661-8000 or contact our Washington
 Associate, Annette Masiello, at (703) 415-3060.

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Computation of check:

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Independent Claim(s)
 over 3 at \$80.00 each

Multiple Dependent Claims
 at \$270.00 each

Additional Claims over 20
 at \$18.00 each

Small Entity - Reduction by 1/2
 Assignment

No.

Amount

\$ 710.00

TOTAL:

\$ 40.00
 \$ 750.00

Respectfully submitted,
 Bierman, Muserlian and Lucas

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